

Joseph Tuttle House
Mt. Pleasant Avenue
Whippany, Morris County, New Jersey

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Owner: Marie Spada

Date of Erection: 1780-90

Architect:

Builder: Joseph Tuttle (Probable)

Present Condition: Good

Number of Stories: Main house two and one-half;
wing one and one-half

Materials of Construction: Foundation - fieldstone

Exterior walls - frame construction, brick filled, clapboards

Interior walls - plaster

Roof - gambrel on main unit, pitch on wing

Historical Data:

A search of the records in Morris County shows that on July 9, 1776 Timothy C. Ward deeded the tract of land where this house now stands to Joseph Tuttle and on December 21, 1787 another piece which completed his purchase was deeded by Michael Kearney to him. From Joseph the property passed to his son Samuel and then to his son Silas. Silas in his will left the property to his daughter Emily Ford who sold in 1913 to Lavina Beaumont from whom the present owner purchased.

Bibliography:

A search of Morris County records by
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